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HENRY COUNTY...

New Lane Closures Scheduled on South Metro Express Lanes

What: Construction activities continue on the new Georgia Express Lanes on Interstate 75 south of Atlanta. This weekend the contractor will be working on Interstate 75 north and southbound at locations near SR 138 and I-675. Weather permitting; work will be performed within 2 mile increments of installed lane closures. Drivers are urged to slow down and proceed cautiously throughout these work zones.

Motorists should expect heavy congestion throughout the entire 12 mile work zone area. Alternate routes are available and should be considered.

When and Where: Work will occur as follows:

- **I-75 North and Southbound**
Tuesday, March 1 through Monday morning, March 7
Single lane and shoulder closures for overhead sign removal and foundation installation near Exit 228; SR 138
 - Nightly closures, Tuesday through Friday morning; northbound; 9 p.m. until 5 a.m. and southbound; 9 p.m. until 5 a.m.
 - Beginning Friday night, March 4 continuously through Monday morning, March 7, 9 p.m. until 7 a.m.
- **CANCELED: I-75 Northbound**
Friday, March 4 through Monday morning, March 7
Single lane and shoulder closures between Exit 216; SR 155 and Exit 218; SR 20/SR 81
Continuously, 9 p.m. until 5 a.m.
- **NEW:**
I-75 Southbound
Saturday, March 5 continuously through Monday morning, March 7
Single lane and shoulder closures near Exit 227; I-675 slope and shoulder drain maintenance
Continuously, 6 a.m. Saturday until 7 a.m. Monday morning

Motorists are advised to slow down and proceed with caution through this area; workers and heavy equipment will be in close proximity to the roadway.

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